

REMARKS

Status of the Claims

Claims 7-9 are pending in this application. Claims 8 and 9 have been amended to correct dependency. Thus, no new matter has been added by amendment.

Information Disclosure Statement

Applicant's representative notes that on two separate instances the box on Applicant's PTO-1449 forms has not been initialed for two references.

In the first instance, Applicants cited a webpage authored by Dr. Ashley Hill on their 1449 form and provided a printed paper copy of the webpage. See file history entry dated 11 Dec 08, list of references cited by Applicant. The Examiner has not initialed to indicate that the reference has been considered, stating "cannot be published." However, there is no Rule or guideline that requires that information submitted to the Office in an Information Disclosure Statement must be published. Further, Applicants' representative draws the Examiner's attention to the web address and date printed at the bottom of the reference. The web address and date are strong evidence that the printed paper copy of the webpage were publicly available—and therefore published—on the date indicated. Applicants' representative does note that one character of the internet address is obscured on the paper copy and that the address provided on the 1449 form was incorrect. The correct address is http://www.obgyn.net/women/articles/molarpreg_dah.htm. By following this address, one can still locate a publicly available webpage authored by Dr. Ashley Hill. Applicants regret any confusion related to the actual web address and have once again submitted the reference along with a 1449 form listing the correct internet address. Applicants request that the Examiner initial the 1449 form.

In the second instance, Applicants neglected to provide the page numbers for the reference GlaxoSmithKline Biologicals, No. 001, "Antigen specific Cancer Immunotherapeutics: Educating the patient's immune defense to fight cancer" (2007) The Examiner therefore struck the citation from the 1449 form. See file history entry dated 11 Dec 2008, list of references cited by Applicant. Accordingly, Applicants have submitted a 1449 form listing the correct citation, along with a copy of the reference.